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Sri. D. Manjayya Heggade,

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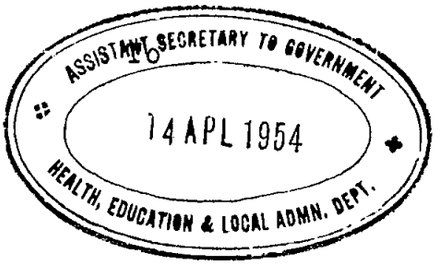

To

The Secretary to the Government of Madras,

Education Department, Fort St.George,

MADRAS.

Sir,

Subject:- Basic Education - Government Basic Training School Ujre - 5 Years' Plan - Retention requested.

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a) The modified scheme of education may of course be responsible for the superfluity of teachers but the question of superfluity of trained teachers as a result of the modified scheme has to be solved by closing down the ordinary training schools first and the Basic Training Schools thereafter if quite essential.

(b) Ujre, as stated above, lies in the extreme interior part of the rural area of South Kanara District and the present Government Basic Training School there supplies teachers mainly to the interior parts. Ujre, though it lies in the centre of rural areas is quite a healthy place besides the fact that it is an elevated level place. I may also be permitted to bring to your kind notice that all the Government Basic Training Schools in this District except the one at Ujre lie in the Urban areas

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(c) If the school is to be closed for want of additional accomodation I am fully prepared to provide sufficient accomodation on a reasonable rent if sufficient time is given for its construction. Again if the educationa Department thinks that there is no scope for raising the Model School into a senior Basic School for want of Accomodation I am prepared to provide sufficient accomodation near the Karnataka Vidyalaya High School site where a senior Basic School can be opened by amalgamation of the model school and Ujre Janardhana Basic School for which the management is quite willing.

(d) Ujre is an ideal site for a Basic Training School. The policy of the Government is to encourage basic education throughout the state and especially in the interior parts. So to solve the superfluity of teachers, some of the ordinary training schools in the Urban areas can conveniently be closed during the current year as the rural atmosphere and conditions are more congenial for the working of the Basic system of education. If the closure of those schools cannot in any way completely solve the question of superfluity of teachers, then the Government Basic Training School at Mangalore situated in the heart of the town may be closed as the inviroment of atmosphere of the Basic Training School there is not at all suitable because the teachers who are fond of working only in Urban areas cannot have any idea of the condition of the illiterate poor folk of interior tracts with the result that the main object of the Government to eradicate the illiteracy of the mass areas and to bring up the poor and backward people

of those areas who were neglected for the last so many years will be completely frustrated besides the fact that there are no sufficient land and water facilities for gardening in Urban areas unlike in the Malnad or interior tracts.

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2. Considering the above facts I, who has already sacrificed much in starting the Basic Training School on behalf of the poor neglected people of interior parts in South Kanara Dt. would request you not to close down the Basic Training School at Ujre.

3. I also request that an officer well versed in Basic Education and rural upliftment work may be deputed to enquire into this matter before taking final steps for the closure of this school.

Yours faithfully,

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To Spec. 18/4/52
the D.P.I
Madras
H.E.G.

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Endt 38531/E III/54-1 Edn. (J) 20-4-1954

Very early
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Memo No 38531/E III/54-2 Edn. dt 19/5/

Sub: Basic Edn. — Govt. Basic Day School Uyire. Closing of the Schools Petition from Sri D. Mangayya Heggade.

Ref: Govt. Endt. No 38531/E III/54-1 Edn dt 4-4-

The D.P.I is requested to embodie the submission of his Remarks & the Govt. Endt. called for

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Education Department

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The Director of Public Instruction,
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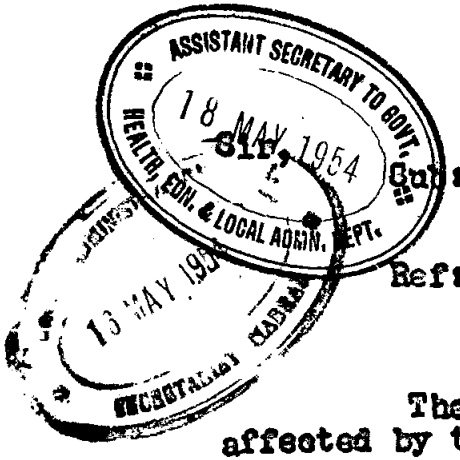

Rc.No.807-M/54 dated 11-5-1954

Sir,

Sub:- Basic Education--Government Basic Training School, Ujre--Closure of --With effect from 1954-55.

Ref:- Government Endorsement No.38531-EIII/54-1 Education dated 20-4-1954.

The existing Basic Training Schools will not be affected by the proposal under consideration.

The Government Endorsement referred to above is resubmitted herewith.

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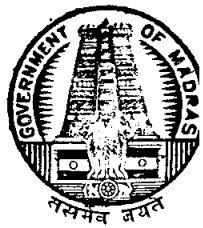

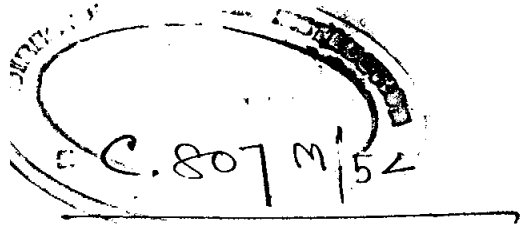

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HEALTH, EDUCATION AND LOCAL ADMINISTRATION DEPARTMENT

Endorsement No. 38531 E111/54-1 Education dt. 20-4-54.

Referred to the Director of Public Instruction for very early remarks.

A. Govinda Menon
Assistant Secretary to Govt. Government

To
The Director of Public Instruction (with enclosure).

Forwarded/By Order

Superintendent

AR. 23/4

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Copy of letter O.R.630/53-54 dated 8-4-54, from Sri D.Manjayya Heggade, Dharmasthala, S.K., addressed to the Secretary to the Government of Madras, Education, Department.

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Memo No 38531 B III/54-3 Edn. (1) 27/5/54

Sub: Basic Education - Govt. Basic Trg School, Ingre - Closure of - with effect from 1954-55

Ref: From the D.P.I Re No 803 M/54-4 11/5/54

The petitioner is informed that there is no proposal to close down the Govt Basic Trg School at Ingre.

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To

Sri D Mangayya
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Via to the
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